

WHEREAS, The Women's Conference of the National Safety Council represents some forty members at large and fifty-nine national and international women's organizations with an outreach of fifty million women; and,

WHEREAS, The Women's Conference has recognized the need for, and initiated, a National Crusade to bring back Safety On the Streets (S.O.S.); and,

WHEREAS, The Safety On the Streets Crusade represents an action-oriented program for volunteers nationwide who marshal the human resources of their communities and public service, civic, fraternal, and law enforcement agencies to create safe neighborhoods; and,

WHEREAS, Safety On the Streets is a citizens' program to deter accident and assault and to engender a love of life rather than a fear of death; and,

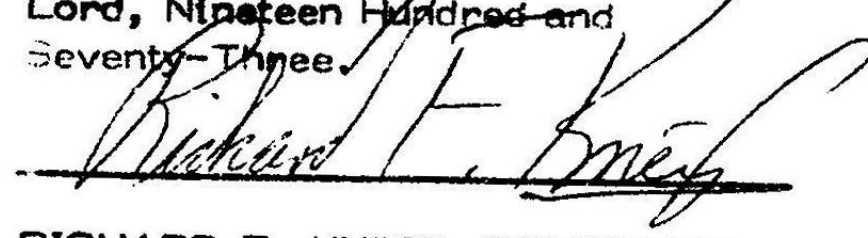
WHEREAS, Program aspects of S.O.S. include automobile, bicycle, pedestrian, personal, and school safety, with public support being urged for alcohol and drug counter-measures, national highway safety standards, and improved street lighting;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of October 28, through November 3, as,

SAFETY ON THE STREETS WEEK

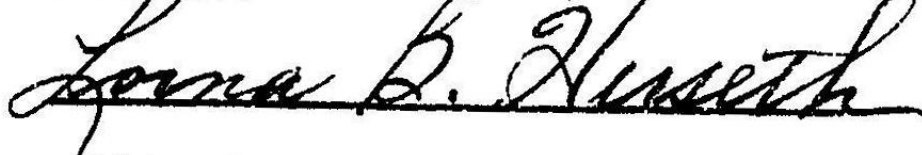
in conjunction with the 17th Annual Meeting of the Women's Conference of the National Safety Council and in recognition of the outstanding contribution to this State and to other States throughout the nation of volunteer womanpower, united to bring back Safety On the Streets.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifth Day of October, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Three.



RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:



LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE